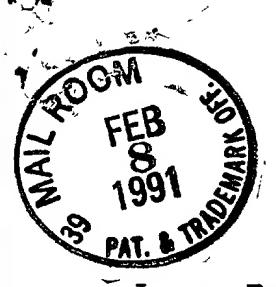
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REQUEST FOR CONTINUING APPLICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.60

This is a request for the filing of a Continuation application under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.60 of pending application Serial No. 07/291,423, filed December 23, 1988, by Alexander Lidow, Thomas Herman and Vladimir Rodov, entitled PLURAL POLGON SOURCE PATTERN FOR MOSFET.

Enclosed is a copy of the prior application, including the oath or declaration as originally filed.

I hereby verify that the attached papers are a true copy of prior application Serial No. 07/291,423, filed December 23, 1988 and further that this statement is made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

Cancel in this application original claims 2-11 of the prior application before calculating the filing fee.

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The Patent and Trademark Office is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any refund, at any time during the prosecution of this application, to Deposit Account No. 15-0700. A duplicate copy of this Request is submitted for this purpose.

Amend the specification by inserting at page 1, before line 1, the paragraph:

This is a continuation of application Serial No. 07/291,423, filed December 23, 1988 which in turn, is a continuation of application Serial No. 06/243,544, filed March 13, 1981 (now abandoned) which, in turn, is a continuation of application Serial No. 06/038,662, filed May 14, 1979 (now abandoned).

Informal drawings accompany the filing of this application. Formal drawings will be submitted at a later date.

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The original prior application was assigned to International Rectifier Corporation and is recorded at Reel 3657, Frame 945.

The power of attorney in the original prior application, as originally filed, is to OSTROLENK, FABER, GERB & SOFFEN, 1180 Avenue of the Americas, New York, New York 10036-8403, and the members of the firm: Marvin C. Soffen, Reg. No. 17,542; Samuel H. Weiner, Reg. No. 18,510; Jerome H. Berliner, Reg. No. 18,653; Robert C. Faber, Reg. No. 24,322; Edward A. Meilman, Reg. No. 24,735 and Stanley H. Lieberstein, Reg. No. 22,400, as attorneys with full power of substitution and revocation to prosecute this application, to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office in connection therewith and to receive all correspondence.

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